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# TOWN OFFICERS

1941

Moderator  
V. G. BARRETT

Clerk  
H. L. COBB

Treasurer  
C. J. COLE

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor  
D. C. VARNEY      A. E. FARRAR      P. V. REDDING

Constable and Collector  
A. F. DAVENPORT

Road Commissioners  
C. F. RING      A. C. HADLEY

Superintending School Committee  
ANNIE GAREY      ALMA ABBOTT      HARLEY HICKS

Superintendent of Schools  
H. A. FOSTER

Health Officer  
E. E. COLE

Sealer of Weights and Measures  
H. W. BONNEY

Fire Warden  
D. C. VARNEY

Treasurer of Ministerial Fund  
H. L. COBB

## REPORT OF ASSESSORS

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|  | Value        | Total        |
|--|--------------|--------------|
| Value of real estate, resident,        | \$143,620.00 |              |
| Value of real estate, non-resident     | 91,205.00    |              |
|  | <hr/>        | \$234,825.00 |
| Value of personal estate, resident     | \$ 31,188.00 |              |
| Value of personal estate, non-resident | 775.00       |              |
|  | <hr/>        | \$ 31,963.00 |
|  |              | <hr/>        |
|  |              | \$266,788.00 |
| Value of land,                         | \$141,765.00 |              |
| Value of buildings,                    | 93,060.00    |              |

### VALUE OF LIVESTOCK

|                   | No. | Av. Value | Total Value  |
|-------------------|-----|-----------|--------------|
| Horses,           | 74  | \$ 70.47  | \$ 5,215.00  |
| Colts,            | 1   | 100.00    | 100.00       |
| Cows,             | 225 | 39.93     | 8,985.00     |
| Oxen,             | 12  | 93.75     | 1,125.00     |
| Three-year olds,  | 96  | 35.83     | 3,440.00     |
| Two-year-olds,    | 98  | 26.20     | 2,568.00     |
| Poultry, over 50, | 735 | 1.00      | 735.00       |
|                   |     |           | <hr/>        |
|                   |     |           | \$ 22,168.00 |

### VALUE OF OTHER PERSONAL PROPERTY

|                             | Value      |
|-----------------------------|------------|
| Stock in trade,             | \$4,425.00 |
| Gas engines,                | 25.00      |
| Gas pumps, 9,               | 775.00     |
| Musical instruments, 8,     | 600.00     |
| Radios, 93,                 | 1,475.00   |
| Electric Refrigerators, 18, | 820.00     |
| Tractors, 2,                | 350.00     |
| Saw mills and machinery,    | 1,100.00   |
| Lighting plants, 2,         | 225.00     |
|                             | <hr/>      |
|                             | \$9,795.00 |



## EXEMPT LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

| Live Stock              | No.  | Av. Value | Total Value |
|-------------------------|------|-----------|-------------|
| Colts,                  | 3    | \$50.00   | \$ 150.00   |
| Yearlings,              | 121  | 13.29     | 1,608.00    |
| Sheep (to 35 in no.)    | 32   | 5.66      | 182.00      |
| Swine (to 10 in no.)    | 71   | 9.77      | 694.00      |
| Poultry (to 50 in no.), | 1011 | 1.00      | 1,011.00    |
|                         |      |           | <hr/>       |
|                         |      |           | \$3,645.00  |

## APPROPRIATED AND ASSESSED

|                            |              |
|----------------------------|--------------|
| High School Tuition,       | \$ 1,300.00  |
| Common Schools,            | 2,800.00     |
| Textbooks and Supplies,    | 225.00       |
| Repairs,                   | 75.00        |
| Insurance,                 | 20.00        |
| Superintendent's salary,   | 250.00       |
| Supt. Office expense,      | 25.00        |
| Town Roads,                | 1,500.00     |
| Third Class Maintenance,   | 741.00       |
| State Aid Road,            | 533.00       |
| Patrolman, State Aid Road, | 395.00       |
| Bushes, State Aid Road,    | 175.00       |
| Bushes, Town Road,         | 150.00       |
| Snow Removal,              | 2,000.00     |
| Snow Fence,                | 200.00       |
| Snow Plow,                 | 100.00       |
| Miscellaneous a/c.,        | 900.00       |
| Bonds,                     | 42.50        |
| Memorial,                  | 25.00        |
| District Nurse,            | 30.00        |
| Support of Poor,           | 1,000.00     |
|                            | <hr/>        |
|                            | \$ 12,486.50 |
| State Tax,                 | 2,140.41     |
| County Tax,                | 885.08       |
| Overlay,                   | 411.71       |
|                            | <hr/>        |
|                            | \$ 15,923.70 |

|                            |      |
|----------------------------|------|
| Number of polls taxed,     | 150  |
| Number of polls not taxed, | 23   |
| Rate of taxation,          | .058 |

## TOWN HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

A. C. Hadley, Comm.

Appropriated by town, \$ 750.00

## Orders Drawn:

|                      |           |
|----------------------|-----------|
| A. C. Hadley,        | \$ 102.90 |
| Dennis Lombard,      | 14.35     |
| Maurice Hadley,      | 136.10    |
| Levi Hazelton,       | 9.10      |
| Willard Hadley,      | 16.30     |
| J. E. Brock,         | 5.13      |
| E. A. Hazelton,      | 9.45      |
| D. C. Varney,        | 39.73     |
| Leavitt Robbins,     | 47.24     |
| L. M. Longley & Son, | 11.25     |
| W. A. Bonney,        | 22.50     |
| Erlon Hammond,       | 1.00      |
| Charles Barrows,     | 32.73     |
| Gammon & Martin,     | 10.95     |
| Donald Ryerson,      | 10.00     |
| Albert Hadley,       | 3.50      |
| Albert McKeen,       | 40.20     |
| Donald Webster,      | 26.00     |
| G. B. Heath,         | 36.05     |
| K. E. Cole,          | 1.40      |
| Harold Brown,        | 7.50      |
| John Libby,          | 37.04     |
| H. L. Gammon,        | 26.60     |
| Emily Tuell,         | 3.00      |
| State Highway Comm.  | 4.00      |
| Town of Woodstock,   | 6.00      |
| J. R. Dyer,          | 3.00      |
| Antti Heikkinen,     | 5.65      |
| Earl Jack,           | 9.75      |
| Jack Immonen,        | 13.70     |
| Chester DeCoster,    | 7.50      |
| B. M. Richardson,    | 7.90      |
| J. F. Redding,       | 4.75      |
| Elden Garey,         | 37.65     |

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 \$ 749.92

Unexpended Balance,

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 \$ .08



## C. F. Ring, Comm.

|                       |    |        |
|-----------------------|----|--------|
| Appropriated by town, | \$ | 750.00 |
|-----------------------|----|--------|

## Orders drawn:

|                   |    |        |
|-------------------|----|--------|
| C. F. Ring,       | \$ | 153.79 |
| V. G. Barrett,    |    | 131.10 |
| H. F. Varney,     |    | 36.93  |
| K. E. Cole,       |    | 37.30  |
| Donald Webster,   |    | 40.80  |
| S. M. Abbott,     |    | 11.48  |
| H. W. Bonney,     |    | 3.00   |
| S. G. Barrett,    |    | 16.95  |
| A. E. Farrar,     |    | 42.43  |
| C. E. Farrar,     |    | 12.77  |
| Albert Hadley,    |    | 4.48   |
| George Records,   |    | 7.18   |
| Harold Crockett,  |    | 64.75  |
| J. G. Gammon,     |    | 16.83  |
| H. L. Gammon,     |    | 114.32 |
| Will Crockett,    |    | 14.70  |
| E. R. H. Stetson, |    | 20.48  |
| Leo Crockett,     |    | 2.30   |
| P. S. Bradeen,    |    | 6.00   |
| C. M. Stephens,   |    | 3.00   |
| C. A. Bonney,     |    | 3.60   |
| H. B. Crockett,   |    | 2.80   |
| Harris Tucker,    |    | 2.80   |
| H. A. Carver,     |    | 1.50   |
| P. C. Robinson,   |    | 1.93   |
| Irving Bartlett,  |    | 1.75   |
| N. B. Burgess,    |    | 2.45   |
| Harley Hicks,     |    | 3.00   |
| A. F. Davenport,  |    | 5.00   |
| Lionel Bartlett,  |    | .40    |

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|  |    |        |
|--|----|--------|
|  | \$ | 766.12 |
|--|----|--------|

|                             |  |       |
|-----------------------------|--|-------|
| Rec'd of K. E. Cole, error, |  | 16.80 |
|-----------------------------|--|-------|

## Unexpended Balance,

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|  |    |     |
|--|----|-----|
|  | \$ | .68 |
|--|----|-----|

Emergency money spent by the  
Selectmen on the West Side

## Orders drawn:

|                 |    |      |
|-----------------|----|------|
| A. C. Hadley,   | \$ | 6.30 |
| Donald Ryerson, |    | 1.05 |



|                    |       |
|--------------------|-------|
| Elden Garey,       | 4.55  |
| Guy Heath,         | 2.10  |
| Maurice Hadley,    | 13.00 |
| H. L. Gammon,      | 6.90  |
| E. R. H. Stetson,  | 1.30  |
| W. A. Bonney,      | 2.50  |
| C. F. Ring,        | 2.80  |
| Harold Crockett,   | 2.80  |
| Harris Tucker,     | 2.80  |
| Burleigh Crockett, | 2.80  |
| V. G. Barrett,     | 8.00  |
| A. E. Farrar,      | 5.20  |
| O. N. Varney,      | 2.80  |
| John Filppula,     | 4.20  |
| J. W. Andrews,     | 2.17  |
| John Libby,        | 21.32 |
| Gammon & Martin,   | 3.35  |
| Elden Garey,       | 2.80  |

|                      |    |       |
|----------------------|----|-------|
|                      | \$ | 98.74 |
| Received from State, |    | 4.00  |
|                      |    | <hr/> |
| Overdraft,           | \$ | 94.74 |

#### STATE AID AND THIRD CLASS MAINTENANCE

Money Transferred to State Aid Construction

Appropriated by Town, \$ 1,274.00

Overdraft, 1940, \$ 167.11

Orders drawn:

|                          |       |
|--------------------------|-------|
| A F. Davenport,          | 85.00 |
| A. E. Farrar,            | 99.26 |
| Donald Webster,          | 92.66 |
| V. G. Barrett,           | 94.94 |
| F. M. Chandler,          | 54.34 |
| Elden Garey,             | 20.14 |
| K. E. Cole,              | 25.08 |
| C. E. Farrar,            | 37.24 |
| H. F. Varney,            | 22.04 |
| K. E. Pulsifer,          | 34.20 |
| C. F. Ring,              | 12.16 |
| Guy Heath,               | 26.22 |
| N. E. Metal Culvert Co., | 43.01 |
| P. P. Fuel Co.,          | 12.00 |

|                           |        |             |
|---------------------------|--------|-------------|
| P. C. Robinson,           | 6.08   |             |
| C. A. Bonney,             | 46.95  |             |
| D. G. Tinkham,            | 2.12   |             |
| John Gibbs,               | 9.00   |             |
| Penley Bros. Co.,         | 9.00   |             |
| E. R. H. Stetson,         | 5.06   |             |
| State Highway Commission, | 361.85 |             |
|                           |        | <hr/>       |
|                           |        | \$ 1,265.46 |
| Unexpended Balance,       |        | <hr/>       |
|                           |        | \$ 8.54     |

## STATE MONEY FOR UNIMPROVED ROADS

## Orders drawn:

|                          |          |           |
|--------------------------|----------|-----------|
| A. C. Hadley, foreman,   | \$ 61.00 |           |
| Penley Bros. Co.,        | 7.50     |           |
| C. E. Foster Co.,        | 6.80     |           |
| Gammon & Martin,         | 8.08     |           |
| North Paris Co.,         | 2.25     |           |
| B. M. Richardson,        | 2.50     |           |
| N. E. Metal Culvert Co., | 38.34    |           |
| Elden Garey,             | 30.76    |           |
| Albert McKeen,           | 117.34   |           |
| Harold Brown,            | 25.08    |           |
| John Filppula,           | 44.08    |           |
| Ralph Mosher,            | 20.14    |           |
| G. B. Heath,             | 6.08     |           |
| Donald Webster,          | 104.55   |           |
| Maurice Hadley,          | 9.12     |           |
| Donald Ryerson,          | 9.12     |           |
|                          |          | <hr/>     |
|                          |          | \$ 492.74 |
| C. F. Ring, foreman,     | \$ 60.50 |           |
| Harold Crockett,         | 42.94    |           |
| H. F. Varney,            | 34.77    |           |
| A. E. Farrar,            | 62.26    |           |
| O. N. Varney,            | 5.13     |           |
| V. G. Barrett,           | 113.16   |           |
| Burleigh Crockett,       | 12.16    |           |
| Harris Tucker,           | 36.29    |           |
| C. E. Foster Co.,        | 13.20    |           |
| Elden Garey,             | 18.05    |           |
| P. C. Robinson,          | 3.04     |           |



|                      |           |           |
|----------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Carl Stephens,       | 8.80      |           |
| C. A. Bonney,        | 1.50      |           |
| State Highway Comm., | 13.50     |           |
| Donald Webster,      | 67.04     |           |
|                      |           | <hr/>     |
|                      |           | \$ 492.31 |
|                      |           | <hr/>     |
|                      |           | \$ 985.08 |
| Received from State, | \$ 981.36 |           |
| Overdraft,           | 3.72      |           |
|                      |           | <hr/>     |
|                      |           | \$ 985.08 |

#### MAINTENANCE OF STATE AID ROAD PATROLMAN

|                       |           |           |
|-----------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Appropriated by Town, | \$ 395.00 |           |
| Order drawn:          |           |           |
| State Treasurer,      | \$ 387.00 |           |
|                       |           | <hr/>     |
|                       |           | \$ 387.00 |
|                       |           | <hr/>     |
| Unexpended Balance,   |           | \$ 8.00   |

#### CUTTING BUSHES, STATE AID ROAD

|                        |           |          |
|------------------------|-----------|----------|
| Appropriated by Town,  | \$ 175.00 |          |
| Orders drawn:          |           |          |
| A. C. Hadley, foreman, | \$ 13.65  |          |
| Donald Ryerson,        | 16.48     |          |
| Elden Garey,           | 5.95      |          |
| Guy Heath,             | 12.95     |          |
| John Filppula,         | 11.20     |          |
| Ivan Garey,            | 1.40      |          |
|                        |           | <hr/>    |
|                        |           | \$ 61.60 |
| C. F. Ring, foreman,   | \$ 37.40  |          |
| Harris Tucker,         | 25.00     |          |
| N. B. Burgess,         | 2.45      |          |
|                        |           | <hr/>    |
|                        |           | \$ 64.85 |
|                        |           | <hr/>    |
| Unexpended Balance,    |           | \$ 48.55 |

## CUTTING BUSHES, TOWN ROADS

|                       |  |    |        |
|-----------------------|--|----|--------|
| Appropriated by Town, |  | \$ | 150.00 |
|-----------------------|--|----|--------|

|               |  |  |  |
|---------------|--|--|--|
| Orders drawn: |  |  |  |
|---------------|--|--|--|

|                        |    |      |
|------------------------|----|------|
| A. C. Hadley, foreman, | \$ | 8.40 |
| John Filppula,         |    | 7.35 |
| Harold Brown,          |    | 7.35 |
| Jack Immonen,          |    | 2.10 |
| Albert McKeen,         |    | 9.60 |
| Elden Garey,           |    | 5.60 |
| C. A. Barrows,         |    | 4.20 |

|  |    |       |
|--|----|-------|
|  | \$ | 44.60 |
|--|----|-------|

|                      |    |       |
|----------------------|----|-------|
| C. F. Ring, foreman, | \$ | 27.65 |
| Harold Crockett,     |    | 24.85 |
| K. E. Cole,          |    | 2.45  |
| Harris Tucker,       |    | 14.00 |

|  |    |       |
|--|----|-------|
|  | \$ | 68.95 |
|--|----|-------|

|                     |  |    |       |
|---------------------|--|----|-------|
| Unexpended Balance, |  | \$ | 36.45 |
|---------------------|--|----|-------|

## CARE OF CEMETERIES

|               |  |  |
|---------------|--|--|
| Orders drawn: |  |  |
|---------------|--|--|

|                |    |      |
|----------------|----|------|
| M. C. Barrows, | \$ | 3.00 |
|----------------|----|------|

## INTEREST PAID ON TRUST FUNDS AT 4¼ %

|                                  |    |       |
|----------------------------------|----|-------|
| H. E. Russell,                   | \$ | 6.00  |
| Black Mountain Cemetery Ass'n.   |    | 4.25  |
| Lettie Ford,                     |    | 8.50  |
| Old Cemetery Account, E. Sumner, |    | 8.87  |
| Carl Stephens, Treas.,           |    | 34.00 |
| Sumner Hill Cemetery Ass'n.,     |    | 4.25  |
| E. R. H. Stetson,                |    | 42.50 |

|  |    |        |
|--|----|--------|
|  | \$ | 108.37 |
|--|----|--------|

## MEMORIAL SERVICES

|                       |    |       |
|-----------------------|----|-------|
| Appropriated by Town, | \$ | 25.00 |
|-----------------------|----|-------|

|              |  |  |
|--------------|--|--|
| Order drawn: |  |  |
|--------------|--|--|

|                          |    |       |
|--------------------------|----|-------|
| Stella Keene, Treasurer, | \$ | 25.00 |
|--------------------------|----|-------|

MISCELLANEOUS ORDERS DRAWN BY  
SELECTMEN

|                             |    |          |
|-----------------------------|----|----------|
| State Treasurer, State tax, | \$ | 2,140.41 |
| Fred A. Weeks, County tax,  |    | 885.08   |
| State Treasurer, Dog tax,   |    | 156.50   |



## ACCOUNTS PAYABLE, 1940

|                  |    |       |
|------------------|----|-------|
| Olive Cobb,      | \$ | 1.50  |
| Geo. E. Redding, |    | 48.20 |

## DISTRICT NURSE

|                         |    |       |
|-------------------------|----|-------|
| Appropriated by Town,   | \$ | 30.00 |
| Order drawn:            |    |       |
| State Bureau of Health, | \$ | 30.00 |

## BONDS

|                       |    |       |
|-----------------------|----|-------|
| Appropriated by Town, | \$ | 42.50 |
| Orders drawn:         |    |       |
| Stuart Goodwin,       | \$ | 40.50 |
|                       |    | <hr/> |
|                       | \$ | 40.50 |
|                       |    | <hr/> |
| Unexpended Balance,   | \$ | 2.00  |

## SNOW FENCE

|                       |    |        |
|-----------------------|----|--------|
| Appropriated by Town, | \$ | 200.00 |
| Orders drawn:         |    |        |
| W. H. Shurtleff,      | \$ | 198.75 |
|                       |    | <hr/>  |
|                       | \$ | 198.75 |
|                       |    | <hr/>  |
| Unexpended Balance,   | \$ | 1.25   |

## SNOW EQUIPMENT

|                       |    |        |
|-----------------------|----|--------|
| Appropriated by Town, | \$ | 100.00 |
| Order drawn:          |    |        |
| D. C. Varney,         | \$ | 100.00 |
|                       |    | <hr/>  |
|                       | \$ | 100.00 |

## NOTES PAYABLE

|                           |    |          |
|---------------------------|----|----------|
| Mfg. National Bank,       | \$ | 7,000.00 |
| Order drawn:              |    |          |
| Mfg. National Bank,       | \$ | 1,500.00 |
|                           |    | <hr/>    |
|                           | \$ | 1,500.00 |
|                           |    | <hr/>    |
| Balance Due on Town Debt, | \$ | 5,500.00 |

## SNOW REMOVAL, 1941-42

|                          |             |
|--------------------------|-------------|
| Appropriated by Town,    | \$ 2,000.00 |
| Received from State,     | 1,109.29    |
| Received from Woodstock, | 72.00       |

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 \$ 3,181.29

|                                    |          |
|------------------------------------|----------|
| Orders drawn before Jan. 25, 1941, | 1,108.56 |
|------------------------------------|----------|

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 \$ 2,072.73

Balance for 1941-42,

Orders drawn:

|                                     |        |
|-------------------------------------|--------|
| Eastern Tractor & Equipment Co., \$ | 383.29 |
| Dyar Sales & Machinery Co.,         | 37.53  |
| Lewiston Welding Co.,               | 191.26 |
| Fogg's Transportation,              | 2.94   |
| P. C. Robinson,                     | 172.30 |
| A. E. Farrar,                       | 220.38 |
| A. E. Farrar, gas,                  | 24.33  |
| Kenneth Pulsifer,                   | 48.80  |
| F. M. Chandler,                     | 4.20   |
| A. F. Davenport,                    | 1.40   |
| V. G. Barrett,                      | 16.50  |
| Frank Warren,                       | 14.25  |
| G. W. Spaulding, gas,               | 128.76 |
| George Adams,                       | 6.30   |
| Richard Adams,                      | 5.40   |
| Howard Stevens,                     | 8.90   |
| Harold Brown,                       | 5.10   |
| L. J. Farrar,                       | 4.44   |
| J. F. Redding,                      | 2.00   |
| Guy Farris,                         | 5.40   |
| O. N. Varney,                       | 1.75   |
| Lee Farrar,                         | 10.15  |
| Albert McKeen,                      | 7.90   |
| D. C. Varney,                       | 4.00   |
| C. F. Ring,                         | 28.60  |
| Max Bonney,                         | .90    |
| C. E. Allen,                        | 1.50   |
| Harold Trask,                       | .75    |
| Everett Trask,                      | .75    |
| Steven Abbott,                      | 6.00   |
| A. C. Hadley,                       | 86.25  |
| Maurice Hadley,                     | 25.50  |
| C. W. Lothrop,                      | 1.20   |



|                             |           |             |
|-----------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| L. B. Shaw,                 | 1.20      |             |
| Dennis Lombard,             | 1.20      |             |
| D. E. Jack,                 | 23.60     |             |
| Town of Paris,              | 13.05     |             |
| Frank Bragg,                | 26.40     |             |
| Marcian Brown,              | 5.77      |             |
| Willard Hadley,             | 21.70     |             |
| Levi Hazelton,              | 14.70     |             |
| Guy Heath,                  | 15.75     |             |
| J. W. Andrews,              | .75       |             |
| K. E. Cole,                 | 9.90      |             |
| Donald Webster,             | 5.40      |             |
| T. B. Bonney,               | 30.66     |             |
| Howard Conant,              | 10.60     |             |
| W. H. Shurtleff,            | 26.25     |             |
| United Steel Co.,           | 270.62    |             |
| N. B. Burgess,              | 19.25     |             |
| J. G. Gammon,               | 2.00      |             |
| E. R. H. Stetson,           | .40       |             |
| O. N. Varney, Jr.           | 3.04      |             |
| H. F. Varney,               | 3.04      |             |
| Ray Keene,                  | 2.80      |             |
| P. V. Redding,              | 1.75      |             |
| David Boyle,                | 12.10     |             |
| Kenneth Hazelton,           | 1.05      |             |
| Geo. W. Cummings Inc.,      | 37.38     |             |
| Harold Wing,                | 1.80      |             |
| H. T. Heath,                | 1.00      |             |
| Southwestern Petroleum Co., | 65.49     |             |
|                             |           | <hr/>       |
| Overdraft,                  |           | \$ 2,087.38 |
| Due from State approx.      | \$ 150.00 | 14.65       |

## MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNTS

|                             |           |
|-----------------------------|-----------|
| Appropriated by Town.       | \$ 900.00 |
| Excise Tax,                 | 662.14    |
| Bank Stock Tax,             | 16.19     |
| R. R. and Telegraph Tax,    | 49.84     |
| Rent, A. P. Chesley,        | 50.00     |
| Rent, Charles Bonney Place, | 9.00      |
| Rent, A. R. Morrill Farm,   | 120.00    |
| Rent, O. L. Newell Farm,    | 55.00     |

|                               |        |
|-------------------------------|--------|
| Tax Liens, fees and interest, | 238.79 |
| Dog Tax Refund,               | 61.77  |
| State Dept. of Finance,       | 42.00  |
| Ministerial Fund,             | 16.25  |
| Food Stamp Refund,            | 240.00 |
| Stumpage, A. P. Chesley,      | 23.52  |
| Stumpage,* Amy Farris,        | 3.88   |
| Vaccine Refund,               | .75    |

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\$ 2,489.13

## Orders drawn:

|  |          |
|--|----------|
| C. M. Power Co.,                         | \$ 52.08 |
| Mark's Printing House,                   | 30.05    |
| The Rumford Publishing Co.,              | 75.00    |
| Fogg's Transportation Co.,               | 32.39    |
| Rumford Drug Store,                      | 3.56     |
| Dept. of Audit,                          | 46.97    |
| John Andrews,                            | 4.00     |
| Loring, Short & Harmon,                  | 11.95    |
| Harvey Powers, tax liens,                | 89.50    |
| Hutchins' Bros.,                         | 11.50    |
| Mfg. National Bank, interest,            | 280.00   |
| Mfg. National Bank, checking acc't.,     | 21.96    |
| A. E. Farrar, selectman,                 | 100.00   |
| H. G. Chesley, shingles,                 | 20.75    |
| E. E. Cole, health officer,              | 17.30    |
| V. G. Barrett, moderator,                | 3.00     |
| State Treasurer, food stamps,            | 340.00   |
| State Treasurer, interest,               | 17.32    |
| Wendell Allen,                           | 6.00     |
| G. E. Redding, tax liens,                | 106.00   |
| G. E. Redding, tax collector 1938-39-40, | 85.00    |
| A. L. Lang Print Shop,                   | 5.00     |
| H. W. Bonney,                            | 7.00     |
| U. S. Truck & Auto Guide,                | 4.85     |
| C. J. Cole, tax liens,                   | 22.50    |
| C. J. Cole, treasurer,                   | 150.00   |
| C. J. Cole, Excise tax collector,        | 22.35    |
| H. F. Atwood, M. D., Vital Statistics,   | .50      |
| P. V. Redding, selectman,                | 85.00    |
| P. V. Reddnig, cash expense,             | 15.00    |
| H. D. Redding, tax collector 1933-34,    | 11.61    |
| D. C. Varney, selectman,                 | 225.00   |



|   |             |
|---|-------------|
| D. C. Varney, cash expense,             | 38.30       |
| J. B. Cobb, ballot clerk,               | 2.50        |
| Chester DeCoster, ballot clerk,         | 2.50        |
| H. L. Cobb, clerk,                      | 18.30       |
| H. L. Cobb, Excise tax collector,       | 29.50       |
| H. L. Cobb, treas. of ministerial fund, | 5.00        |
| Dr. L. M. Corliss,                      | 12.00       |
| James Emery,                            | 2.00        |
| Harley Hicks,                           | 15.00       |
| Alma Abbott,                            | 15.00       |
| Annie Garey,                            | 15.00       |
| A. F. Davenport, tax collector 1941,    | 100.00      |
| Levi Hazelton,                          | 3.00        |
| A. E. Farrar,                           | 7.00        |
|   | <hr/>       |
|   | \$ 2,168.56 |
| Unexpended Balance,                     | <hr/>       |
|   | \$ 320.57   |

## TRUST FUNDS USED BY TOWN

|                              |             |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| Lydia Keene,                 | \$ 100.00   |
| Olive Heald,                 | 100.00      |
| Louise Gurney,               | 200.00      |
| Rebecca Russell,             | 100.00      |
| Hezekiah Stetson,            | 100.00      |
| Elmer Roberts,               | 100.00      |
| L. M. Robinson,              | 500.00      |
| Rev. Allen and Sara Barrows, | 100.00      |
| Lucy Purkis,                 | 100.00      |
| Lydia Varney,                | 100.00      |
| Clara Stetson,               | 200.00      |
| S. B. Gammon,                | 100.00      |
| Almira Keene,                | 500.00      |
| Lucy Russell,                | 100.00      |
| Solomon Stetson,             | 100.00      |
|                              | <hr/>       |
|                              | \$ 2,500.00 |

## TRUST FUNDS INVESTED BY TOWN

|               |           |
|---------------|-----------|
| O. E. Turner, | \$ 150.00 |
| Moses Young,  | 100.00    |
|               | <hr/>     |
|               | \$ 250.00 |

## TAX STATEMENT, 1941

|                      |              |              |
|----------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Commitment,          | \$ 15,923.70 |              |
| Supplementary Taxes, | 85.28        |              |
|                      |              | \$ 16,008.98 |
| Treasurer, receipts, | \$11,314.36  |              |
| Uncollected,         | 4,578.22     |              |
| Abatements,          | 116.40       |              |
|                      |              | \$ 16,008.98 |

## LIST OF ABATEMENTS

|      |                                |         |           |
|------|--------------------------------|---------|-----------|
| 1941 | W. E. Lothrop, error,          | \$ 3.00 |           |
|      | James Boyle, water system,     | 11.60   |           |
|      | Ned Gleason, not able,         | 3.00    |           |
|      | Federal Land Loan Commission,  |         |           |
|      | illegal,                       | 87.00   |           |
|      | Charles H. Green, wrong party, | 5.80    |           |
|      | Alvier Immonen, drafted,       | 3.00    |           |
|      | M. M. Rowe, not able,          | 3.00    |           |
|      |                                |         | \$ 116.40 |

All unpaid taxes of 1934-35 were abated or the land taken over by the Town except the following:

|                      |         |
|----------------------|---------|
| Matti Kerenen, paid, | \$ 6.80 |
| A. R. Morrill, paid, | 11.00   |

The following 1941 taxes have been paid since January, 25, 1942:

|      |                      |           |
|------|----------------------|-----------|
|      | Federal Land Bank,   | \$ 116.00 |
|      | Steven Abbott,       | 24.17     |
|      | Mabel Dyer,          | 65.54     |
|      | J. R. Dyer,          | 4.06      |
|      | Harold Trask,        | 46.40     |
|      | H. E. Redding,       | 23.20     |
|      | Richard Andrews,     | 3.00      |
|      | Wallace Andrews,     | 63.80     |
| 1940 | J. W. Andrews,       | 75.60     |
| 1939 | J. W. Andrews & Son, | 89.90     |
| 1938 | J. W. Andrews & Son, | 85.55     |

## LIST OF EXPIRED TAX LIENS

Eleanor Kilponen, Homestead  
 Bert Keene, Wood Lot  
 Fred A. Moran, O. L. Newell Farm  
 Eli Niemi, Camp and Lot  
 Albert Brown, Charles Bonney Place  
 Henry Laurendeau, Wood Lot  
 John Turcotte, Wood Lot  
 H. G. & E. P. Chesley, Henry Brown Farm  
 Benson & Proctor, Wood Lot  
 E. S. Benson, Dyer Stand  
 Amy Stephens Heirs, Lot and Meadow  
 L. H. Bisbee, Meadow  
 Amedee Gernier, Turcotte Lot  
 L. J. Andrews, Bell Farm  
 C. A. Barrows, Homestead  
 Eldred Hammond, Homestead  
 S. G. Barrett & Son, Homestead and Meadow  
 Alfred P. Chesley, E. I. Brown Farm  
 J. B. Libby, Homestead  
 J. B. Libby, Little Labrador Lot  
 J. B. Libby, Ripley Farm  
 J. B. Libby, Wood Lot  
 L. A. Burnham, Former Homestead  
 William Jones, Former Homestead  
 H. W. Davenport Heirs, Meadow  
 E. W. Sellinger, Wood Land  
 Daniels & Stearns, Wood Land  
 Barrows Bros., Wood Land  
 George Cotes, Former Homestead  
 Elias Rajala, Meadow Lot

## SCHEDULE OF UNCOLLECTED TAXES

January 25, 1942

## RESIDENT

1941

|                   |    |        |
|-------------------|----|--------|
| J. W. Andrews,    | \$ | 9.28   |
| Richard Andrews,  |    | 3.00   |
| Steven M. Abbott, |    | 24.17  |
| Wallace Andrews,  |    | 63.80  |
| Barrows Bros.,    |    | 9.28   |
| M. C. Barrows,    |    | 119.48 |
| C. A. Barrows,    |    | 88.45  |



|                      |        |
|----------------------|--------|
| Emerson Bartlett,    | 12.77  |
| Max Bonney,          | 14.60  |
| H. W. Bonney,        | 104.40 |
| Irving Bartlett,     | 16.05  |
| Inez Bisbee,         | 44.95  |
| Agnes Burgess,       | 14.25  |
| L. D. Bryant,        | 7.27   |
| Harold Brown,        | 15.36  |
| Chester Bucknam,     | 15.37  |
| Alfred Chesley,      | 5.22   |
| C. R. Comeau,        | 3.00   |
| J. H. Comeau,        | 49.88  |
| George Cotes,        | 75.40  |
| Howard Conant,       | 39.40  |
| E. E. Cole,          | 17.40  |
| Kenneth Cole,        | 134.27 |
| Leo Crockett,        | 17.50  |
| Sadie Coolidge,      | 40.30  |
| A. E. & J. W. Damon, | 15.00  |
| Mabel Dyer,          | 65.54  |
| J. R. Dyer,          | 4.06   |
| George Dyer Heirs,   | 49.30  |
| Rosie Dugay,         | 118.03 |
| Amy Farris,          | 10.00  |
| Guy Farris,          | 4.16   |
| John Filppula,       | 56.55  |
| John Forcier,        | 3.00   |
| N. L. Newell,        | 3.48   |
| Eldred Hammond,      | 42.05  |
| Willard Hadley,      | 92.22  |
| A. C. Hadley,        | 210.54 |
| Erlon Hammond,       | 20.30  |
| Charles Hammond,     | 23.20  |
| L. H. Hazelton,      | 41.57  |
| Hiram Hazelton,      | 3.00   |
| William Jones,       | 93.19  |
| August Kilponen,     | 51.12  |
| Dennis Lombard,      | 4.45   |
| J. B. Libby,         | 145.97 |
| Mrs. E. H. McGibbon, | 2.90   |
| K. C. McKeen,        | 110.49 |
| Everett McKeen,      | 3.00   |
| Eli Niemi,           | 3.00   |

|                       |       |
|-----------------------|-------|
| Flora Pulsifer Heirs, | 43.50 |
| Lillis Pulsifer,      | 59.45 |
| H. E. Pulsifer,       | 11.02 |
| K. E. Pulsifer,       | 5.80  |
| A. E. Redding,        | 36.54 |
| P. V. Redding,        | 36.55 |
| J. F. Redding,        | 72.60 |
| W. V. Redding Heirs,  | 34.80 |
| C. W. Stevens Heirs,  | 46.40 |
| Ada Shaw,             | 37.70 |
| L. B. Shaw,           | 5.90  |
| H. E. Staples,        | 4.45  |
| Clyde Smith,          | 3.00  |
| Eldridge Small,       | 3.00  |
| Smith & Benson,       | 2.32  |
| John Sullivan,        | 3.00  |
| Vivian Tucker,        | 3.00  |
| H. C. Thomas,         | 10.44 |
| Fred Wing,            | 4.45  |
| Emery Watton,         | 8.22  |

## Non-resident

|                        |        |
|------------------------|--------|
| L. J. Andrews,         | 139.20 |
| L. A. Burnham Heirs,   | 46.40  |
| Leon Bradford,         | 14.50  |
| R. W. Brown,           | 58.00  |
| E. S. Benson,          | 43.50  |
| Blanche Bonney,        | 52.20  |
| Charles Coffren,       | 34.80  |
| Carl Churchill Heirs,  | 5.80   |
| H. W. Davenport Heirs, | 62.35  |
| George Berry,          | 18.00  |
| I. H. Ellingwood,      | 2.32   |
| John Estes,            | 14.50  |
| Federal Land Bank,     | 116.00 |
| A. C. & C. E. Foster,  | 14.50  |
| Amos C. Foster,        | 69.60  |
| C. E. Foster Co.,      | 327.99 |
| Lula Gerrish,          | 40.60  |
| Ethel Gibbs,           | 40.60  |
| Eva Hayden,            | 15.95  |
| Kalle Komalainen,      | 8.70   |
| Chester McKay,         | 2.32   |
| Eli Rajala,            | 5.80   |

|                           |        |
|---------------------------|--------|
| H. E. Redding,            | 23.20  |
| Lena Redding,             | 55.68  |
| E. W. Sellinger,          | 5.80   |
| Kirke H. Stowell,         | 713.40 |
| Harry Tucker,             | 4.35   |
| W. H. Tucker,             | 27.55  |
| George and Vivian Tucker, | 8.70   |
| Nelson Tucker,            | 5.80   |
| Harold Trask,             | 46.40  |

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\$ 4,578.22

## 1940 — RESIDENT

|                     | Liens    | Personal |
|---------------------|----------|----------|
| J. W. Andrews,      | \$ 75.60 | \$       |
| M. C. Barrows,      | 37.12    |          |
| C. A. Barrows,      | 71.40    |          |
| Barrows Bros.,      | 8.96     |          |
| H. W. Bonney,       | 100.80   |          |
| R. W. Briggs,       | 58.80    |          |
| Robert Bryant,      |          | 3.00     |
| E. S. Benson,       | 42.00    |          |
| Alfred Chesley,     |          | 10.08    |
| E. E. Cole,         | 16.80    |          |
| Kenneth Cole,       | 106.40   |          |
| J. W. Comeau,       |          | 3.00     |
| J. H. Comeau,       | 46.20    |          |
| George Cotes,       | 72.80    |          |
| W. L. Dyer,         | 8.00     |          |
| Mabel Dyer,         | 52.08    |          |
| George Dyer Heirs,  | 47.60    |          |
| John Fauchier, Jr., |          | 3.00     |
| John Phillips,      | 39.20    |          |
| Ned Gleason,        |          | 3.00     |
| L. H. Hazelton,     | 32.20    |          |
| Erlon Hammond,      | 19.60    |          |
| Charles Hammond,    | 22.40    |          |
| Eldred Hammond,     | 57.40    | .60      |
| George Heath,       |          | 2.52     |
| William Jones,      | 84.00    | 2.24     |
| Willard Hadley,     | 56.65    |          |
| Alton Hadley,       | 168.00   |          |
| August Kilponen,    | 28.16    |          |
| J. B. Libby,        | 120.40   |          |



|                         |        |
|-------------------------|--------|
| Kate McKeene,           | 78.40  |
| Flora Pulsifer Heirs,   | 14.47  |
| Lillis Pulsifer,        | 47.40  |
| J. W. Redding,          | 54.60  |
| George Redding,         | 134.40 |
| C. W. Stevens Heirs,    | 44.80  |
| O. W. Starbird, estate, | 11.68  |
| Smith & Benson,         | 2.24   |

## Non-Resident

|                         |        |
|-------------------------|--------|
| A. C. Allen,            | 2.24   |
| L. J. Andrews,          | 134.40 |
| Blanche Bonney,         | 50.40  |
| Charles Coffren,        | 33.60  |
| Daniels & Stearns,      | 22.40  |
| H. W. Davenport, heirs, | 60.20  |
| John Estes,             | 14.00  |
| A. C. & C. E. Foster,   | 14.00  |
| Amos C. Foster,         | 67.20  |
| C. E. Foster Co.,       | 316.68 |
| Ethel Gibbs,            | 39.20  |
| Eva Hayden,             | 15.40  |
| H. M. Lowe, heirs,      | 69.44  |
| John McAllister,        | 95.20  |
| Elias Rajala,           | 5.60   |
| H. D. Redding,          | 28.00  |
| H. E. Rowe,             | 14.00  |
| E. W. Sellinger,        | 5.60   |
| H. R. Tucker,           | 4.20   |
| W. H. Tucker,           | 26.60  |
| Nelson Tucker,          | 5.60   |

|    |          |    |       |
|----|----------|----|-------|
| \$ | 2,779.52 | \$ | 27.44 |
|----|----------|----|-------|

## 1939 RESIDENT

|                      | Liens    | Personal |
|----------------------|----------|----------|
| J. W. Andrews & Son, | \$ 89.90 |          |
| Sidney Abbott,       |          | 3.00     |
| J. H. Atkins,        |          | 5.28     |
| C. A. Barrows,       | 79.05    |          |
| Barrows Bros.,       | 4.96     |          |
| George Bradeen,      |          | .43      |
| S. G. Barrett & Son, | 111.60   |          |
| E. S. Benson,        | 99.20    |          |
| L. A. Burnham,       | 49.60    |          |

|                         |             |          |
|-------------------------|-------------|----------|
| Alfred Chesley,         | 86.80       | 29.45    |
| George Cotes,           | 80.60       |          |
| Dyer & Abbott,          | 18.29       |          |
| Guy Farris,             |             | 4.55     |
| Ned Gleason,            |             | .55      |
| L. H. Hazelton,         |             | 3.00     |
| Willard Hadley,         |             | 1.97     |
| Eldred Hammond,         | 44.95       | 2.54     |
| William Jones,          | 93.00       | 3.00     |
| A. L. Staples,          |             | 3.00     |
| M. M. Rowe,             |             | 5.17     |
| J. B. Libby,            | 133.30      |          |
| Tovio McKeene,          |             | 3.00     |
| Olivio McKeene,         |             | 3.00     |
| Eli Neimi,              | 10.00       |          |
| Non-resident            |             |          |
| L. J. Andrews,          | 148.80      |          |
| Daniels & Stearns,      | 24.80       |          |
| H. W. Davenport, heirs, | 4.65        |          |
| Elias Rajala,           | 6.20        |          |
| H. D. Redding,          | 27.90       |          |
| E. W. Sellinger,        | 6.20        |          |
| W. V. Redding, heirs,   | 32.75       |          |
|                         | <hr/>       | <hr/>    |
|                         | \$ 1,152.55 | \$ 67.94 |

## 1938 RESIDENT

|                          | Expired Liens | Personal |
|--------------------------|---------------|----------|
| J. W. Andrews & Son,     | \$ 85.55      |          |
| C. A. Barrows,           | 81.13         |          |
| S. G. Barrett & Son,     | 109.74        |          |
| E. S. Benson,            | 50.15         |          |
| H. G. & Emma P. Chesley, | 50.15         |          |
| A. P. Chesley,           | 82.80         | \$ 29.30 |
| L. H. Hazelton,          |               | 2.95     |
| A. C. Hadley,            | 7.37          |          |
| Eldred Hammond,          | 31.15         |          |
| John Libby,              | 126.85        |          |
| Eli Neimi,               | 4.15          |          |
| C. W. Starbird,          | 8.17          |          |
| Toivo McKeene,           |               | 3.00     |
| Olivio McKeene,          |               | 3.00     |
| L. B. Shaw,              |               | 1.77     |

|                          |           |          |
|--------------------------|-----------|----------|
| Harry Scott,             |           | 3.00     |
| Beckler & Farrar, heirs, | 19.27     |          |
| Non-resident             |           |          |
| L. J. Andrews,           | 141.60    |          |
| Roland Benson,           |           | 11.80    |
| W. L. Bisbee,            | 2.95      |          |
| Carl Churchill, heirs,   | 5.90      |          |
| H. W. Davenport, heirs,  | 4.43      |          |
| J. H. Ellingwood,        | 10.33     |          |
| Henry Laurendeau,        | 23.60     |          |
| Amy Stephens, heirs,     | 1.48      |          |
|                          | <hr/>     | <hr/>    |
|                          | \$ 846.77 | \$ 54.82 |
| 1937 Resident            |           |          |
| Owen Bonney,             | \$ 3.00   |          |
| G. H. Bradeen,           | 20.11     |          |
| B. E. Gerrish,           | 23.60     |          |
| S. G. Barrett & Son,     | 112.99    |          |
| L. H. Bisbee Heirs,      | 6.20      |          |
| Albert Brown,            | 34.52     |          |
| E. S. Benson,            | 50.15     |          |
| Merton Benson,           | 3.00      |          |
| H. G. & E. P. Chesley,   | 65.84     |          |
| Alfred Chesley,          | 56.70     |          |
| Leo Crockett,            | 5.07      |          |
| W. A. Crockett,          | 3.00      |          |
| A. E. & J. W. Damon,     | 6.23      |          |
| Dyer & Abbott,           | 23.90     |          |
| Merrill Emery,           | 3.00      |          |
| A. M. Fogg,              | 6.20      |          |
| Amy J. Farris,           | 3.84      |          |
| Ned Gleason,             | 3.00      |          |
| L. H. Hazelton,          | 12.44     |          |
| Hiram Hazelton,          | 5.07      |          |
| A. C. Hadley,            | 4.43      |          |
| Willard Hadley,          | 18.05     |          |
| Toivo McKeen,            | 3.00      |          |
| Olivio McKeen,           | 3.00      |          |
| A. R. Morrison,          | 3.00      |          |
| Eli Neimi,               | 14.80     |          |
| C. H. Stevens Heirs,     | 13.28     |          |
| H. E. Staples,           | 4.46      |          |
| E. W. Sellinger,         | 8.90      |          |



|      |                        |          |           |
|------|------------------------|----------|-----------|
|      | E. A. Small,           | 3.00     |           |
|      | George Stevens,        | 3.00     |           |
|      | Cecil Stevens,         | 3.00     |           |
|      | Non-resident           |          |           |
|      | H. W. Davenport Heirs, | 4.40     |           |
|      | Amedee Gernier,        | 23.60    |           |
|      | Benson & Proctor,      | 8.85     |           |
|      | Fred Moran,            | 61.95    |           |
|      | Amy Stephens Heirs,    | 1.48     |           |
|      | John Turcotte,         | 2.95     |           |
|      |                        |          | \$ 633.01 |
| 1936 | Resident               |          |           |
|      | G. H. Bradeen,         | \$ 21.15 |           |
|      | E. S. Benson,          | 42.58    |           |
|      | Adelbert Bowen,        | 3.00     |           |
|      | L. N. Chandler,        | 3.00     |           |
|      | H. G. & E. P. Chesley, | 62.38    |           |
|      | A. E. & J. W. Damon,   | 9.57     |           |
|      | Amy Farris,            | 10.18    |           |
|      | Kenneth Grant,         | .83      |           |
|      | L. H. Hazelton,        | 9.35     |           |
|      | Hiram Hazelton,        | 3.00     |           |
|      | J. B. Libby,           | 52.58    |           |
|      | L. A. Lafoy,           | 2.00     |           |
|      | J. C. Morrill,         | 3.00     |           |
|      | Toivo McKeen,          | 3.00     |           |
|      | Charles Maatta Heirs,  | 9.08     |           |
|      | Horace Murch,          | 3.00     |           |
|      | Eli Neimi,             | 11.00    |           |
|      | Eugene Rich,           | 3.00     |           |
|      | E. A. Small,           | 1.50     |           |
|      | Victor Therreault,     | 3.00     |           |
|      | L. H. Bisbee,          | 2.30     |           |
|      | H. C. Thomas,          | 8.63     |           |
|      | Non-resident           |          |           |
|      | Benson & Proctor,      | 8.25     |           |
|      | H. W. Davenport,       | 4.13     |           |
|      | Henry Laurendeau,      | 22.00    |           |
|      | Fred Moran,            | 57.75    |           |
|      | Amy Stephens Heirs,    | 1.38     |           |
|      | John Turcotte,         | 2.73     |           |
|      |                        |          | \$ 363.69 |

## REPORT OF OVERSEERS OF THE POOR

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|                           |             |             |
|---------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Appropriated by Town,     | \$ 1,000.00 |             |
| Received from J. L. Bean, | 7.50        |             |
|                           | <hr/>       | \$ 1,007.50 |

### TOWN POOR Mattie Gleason

## Orders drawn:

|                        |          |           |
|------------------------|----------|-----------|
| Dr. Charles Norton,    | \$ 54.95 |           |
| Carter's Nursing Home, | 8.00     |           |
| C. M. G. Hospital,     | 55.25    |           |
| L. E. Irish,           | 48.00    |           |
|                        | <hr/>    | \$ 166.20 |

### Jack Rosenberg

## Order drawn:

|                  |           |           |
|------------------|-----------|-----------|
| State Treasurer, | \$ 106.00 |           |
|                  | <hr/>     | \$ 106.00 |

### Eli Niemi

## Order drawn:

|                  |         |         |
|------------------|---------|---------|
| G. W. Spaulding, | \$ 6.03 |         |
|                  | <hr/>   | \$ 6.03 |

### Bucknam Boys

## Orders drawn:

|                   |           |           |
|-------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Blanche Bradeen,  | \$ 129.00 |           |
| Amy Farris,       | 104.00    |           |
| E. R. H. Stetson, | 26.02     |           |
| Dr. H. F. Atwood, | 1.50      |           |
| Dr. E. S. Sheehy, | 6.00      |           |
|                   | <hr/>     | \$ 266.52 |

### Charles Maatta

## Orders drawn:

|                   |          |  |
|-------------------|----------|--|
| Bessie McAlister, | \$ 13.50 |  |
| Pauline Jones,    | 42.00    |  |

|                           |           |           |
|---------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Dr. J. L. Bean,           | 15.00     |           |
| Town of Paris,            | 30.28     |           |
|                           | <hr/>     |           |
|                           |           | \$ 100.78 |
| Fred Wing                 |           |           |
| Order drawn:              |           |           |
| Dr. H. F. Atwood,         | \$ 15.56  |           |
|                           | <hr/>     |           |
|                           |           | \$ 15.56  |
| Guy Farris                |           |           |
| Order drawn:              |           |           |
| Dr. L. M. Corliss,        | \$ 27.78  |           |
|                           | <hr/>     |           |
|                           |           | \$ 27.78  |
| Tramps                    |           |           |
| G. A. Chandler Co.,       | .50       |           |
|                           | <hr/>     |           |
|                           |           | \$ .50    |
| Ada Stevens, Mother's Aid |           |           |
| Order drawn:              |           |           |
| State Treasurer,          | \$ 120.00 |           |
|                           | <hr/>     |           |
|                           |           | \$ 120.00 |
|                           |           | <hr/>     |
|                           |           | \$ 809.37 |
| Unexpended Balance,       |           | \$ 198.13 |

## POOR OF OTHER TOWNS

|                               |          |          |
|-------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Orders drawn:                 |          |          |
| Dr. H. F. Atwood,             | \$ 36.25 |          |
| G. W. Spaulding,              | 8.91     |          |
|                               | <hr/>    |          |
|                               |          | \$ 45.16 |
| Received from City of Auburn, | \$ 45.16 |          |
|                               |          | \$ 45.16 |

## SUPPORT OF STATE PAUPERS

Leo Lefebvre

|                       |           |  |
|-----------------------|-----------|--|
| Orders drawn:         |           |  |
| G. A. Chandler & Co., | \$ 144.36 |  |
| E. R. H. Stetson,     | 14.14     |  |
| G. W. Spaulding,      | 4.40      |  |
| A. E. Farrar,         | 2.20      |  |



|                                |           |           |
|--------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| D. C. Varney,                  | 32.23     |           |
| H. F. Atwood, M. D.,           | 32.80     |           |
| L. M. Corliss, M. D.,          | 10.00     |           |
| H. F. Varney,                  | 5.00      |           |
| Ste. Marie's General Hospital, | 13.00     |           |
| Town of Sumner,                | 55.00     |           |
|                                |           | <hr/>     |
|                                |           | \$ 313.13 |
| Received from State,           | \$ 313.13 |           |
|                                |           | <hr/>     |
|                                |           | \$ 313.13 |

Due to a shortage of help in the State Department of Audit, they will not be able to audit our books before the latter part of March.

#### SCHEDULE OF MINISTERIAL FUNDS

##### Investments (Stocks & Bonds)

|                           |             |
|---------------------------|-------------|
| Oxford County Tel. & Tel. | \$ 750.00   |
| Oxford Paper Co.          | 1,100.00    |
| Mechanics Savings Bank    | 4.00        |
|                           | <hr/>       |
|                           | \$ 1,854.00 |

##### Cash Account for 1941

###### Dr.

|  |          |
|--|----------|
| Undivided, Jan. 25, 1941                   | \$ 00.00 |
|  | <hr/>    |
| Dividends, received Oxford Co. Tel. & Tel. | 37.50    |
| “ “ Oxford Paper Co.,                      | 48.75    |
|  | <hr/>    |
|  | \$ 86.25 |

###### Cr.

|                           |          |
|---------------------------|----------|
| Universalist Society      | \$ 35.02 |
| Congregationalist Society | 26.09    |
| Adventist Society         | 11.91    |
| First Baptist Society     | 8.74     |
| Second Baptist Society    | 4.49     |
|                           | <hr/>    |
|                           | \$ 86.25 |

H. L. COBB, Treasurer,  
Ministerial Fund.

## REPORT OF TREASURER

Year ending Jan. 26, 1942

Cash on hand Jan. 25, 1941 \$ 804.47

## Taxes

|                  |              |             |
|------------------|--------------|-------------|
| Current year     | \$ 11,314.36 |             |
| Prior years      | 1,995.51     |             |
| Tax Liens        | 2,280.32     |             |
| Excise tax, 1941 | 622.14       |             |
|                  | <hr/>        | \$16,252.33 |

Dog Taxes 156.50

## Departmental Receipts

from State

|                          |             |             |
|--------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Highways                 | \$ 2,130.41 |             |
| Charities                | 414.06      |             |
| Educational              | 1,478.60    |             |
| Railroad & Telegraph tax | 49.84       |             |
| Bank Stock tax           | 16.19       |             |
| Dog Tax Refund           | 61.77       |             |
|                          | <hr/>       | \$ 4,150.87 |

## From Other Sources—

|               |           |           |
|---------------|-----------|-----------|
| Miscellaneous | \$ 660.45 |           |
| Charities     | 109.66    |           |
|               | <hr/>     | \$ 770.11 |

## Interest:

|                         |           |           |
|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| On Taxes Including Cost | \$ 238.79 |           |
| School Fund             | 4.40      |           |
| Ministerial Fund        | 16.25     |           |
|                         | <hr/>     | \$ 259.44 |

Total Receipts \$21,589.25

Total Available \$22,393.72

Total Warrants Paid \$21,473.31

Balance in Check Book, \$ 920.41

Jan. 26, 1942 \$ 465.75

Cash on Hand, \$ 454.66

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\$ 920.41

Respectfully submitted,

C. J. COLE, Treasurer.

# REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

## SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE

|              |                   |
|--------------|-------------------|
| Harley Hicks | Term expires 1942 |
| Annie Garey  | Term expires 1943 |
| Alma Abbott  | Term expires 1944 |

## SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Harry A. Foster

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens of the  
Town of Sumner:

I herewith submit my annual report of the condition of the schools of Sumner together with an itemized account of all income and expenditures for the school year 1941-1942 and also the recommendations of the Superintending School Committee for the school year 1942-1943.

The general condition of all schools is very good. They are fairly well supplied with textbooks and other necessary equipment. As suggested in last year's report, more repairs should be made to make the buildings more comfortable for winter use. During the current year it was impossible to secure labor to make some of these repairs for which money had been appropriated.

The shortage of elementary teachers in our state has already become acute. The rubber situation presents a most serious condition in the transportation of our pupils. There is absolutely no priority rating for any of our conveyances. Should this condition continue until the opening of schools next fall most of our cars will be off the road. These are the two most serious problems confronting us at this time.

Again our state aid has been reduced by nearly four hundred dollars. On the other hand the number of probable tuition students will increase from eighteen to twenty-eight. These conditions require that more money be raised by the town. It is with this in mind that the Superintending School

Committee after careful consideration makes the following recommendations:

|                        |            |
|------------------------|------------|
| Common Schools         | \$3,000.00 |
| High School Tuition    | 1,500.00   |
| Repairs                | 75.00      |
| Office Supplies        | 25.00      |
| Textbooks and Supplies | 225.00     |
| Superintendent         | 250.00     |

We are at War. No one knows what the outcome will be but we must not shirk our responsibility. We must consecrate ourselves to the great endeavor of preserving freedom so that when we pass into a brighter tomorrow, our greatest institution—The Free Public School—will be serving a free people and will be standing for all the world to see.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY A. FOSTER,  
Superintendent of Schools.

#### TEACHERS DIRECTORY

| Teacher         | School        | Training           | No.<br>Weeks |
|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Lillian Sproul  | East Sumner   | Bridgewater N. S.  | 32           |
| Esther Merrill  | Morrill       | Gorham N. S.       | 32           |
| Katherine Adams | West Sumner   | Gorham N. S.       | 26           |
| Marion Woodward | West Sumner   | F. S. N. S.        | 6            |
| Susie Harkins   | Pleasant Pond | Presque Isle N. S. | 32           |

#### ENROLLMENT

| School        | Sub. | I  | II | III | IV | V  | VI | VII | VIII | Ttl |
|---------------|------|----|----|-----|----|----|----|-----|------|-----|
| East Sumner   | 3    | 2  | 2  | 3   | 5  | 1  | 1  | 2   | 5    | 24  |
| West Sumner   | 1    | 2  | 1  | 4   | 1  | 3  | 1  | 2   | 7    | 22  |
| Morrill       | 1    | 7  | 2  | 4   | 1  | 8  | 1  | 1   | 2    | 27  |
| Pleasant Pond | 1    | 1  | 3  | 1   | 0  | 3  | 0  | 2   | 0    | 11  |
|               | 6    | 12 | 8  | 12  | 7  | 15 | 3  | 7   | 14   | 84  |

#### SCHOOL CALENDAR

|             |                          |          |
|-------------|--------------------------|----------|
| Fall Term   | Sept. 2 to Dec. 19, 1941 | 16 weeks |
| Winter Term | Jan. 5 to Feb. 14, 1942  | 6 weeks  |
| Spring Term | Mar. 16 to May 22, 1942  | 10 weeks |



## DISTRIBUTION OF TUITION STUDENTS

|                   |       |
|-------------------|-------|
| Town of Paris     | 4     |
| Leavitt Institute | 2     |
| Town of Buckfield | 11    |
| Town of Rumford   | 1     |
| City of Lewiston  | 1     |
|                   | <hr/> |
|                   | 19    |

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

## COMMON SCHOOLS

## Income

|               |             |             |
|---------------|-------------|-------------|
| Appropriated, | \$ 2,800.00 |             |
| State Aid,    | 1,478.60    |             |
| Supplies,     | 225.00      |             |
| Balance 1941, | 193.81      |             |
| Interest,     | 4.40        |             |
|               | <hr/>       |             |
|               |             | \$ 4,701.81 |
| Overdraft,    |             | 146.15      |
|               |             | <hr/>       |
|               |             | \$ 4,847.96 |

## Expenditures

|                |             |             |
|----------------|-------------|-------------|
| Teaching,      | \$ 2,496.00 |             |
| Conveyance,    | 1,673.80    |             |
| Janitor,       | 129.09      |             |
| Fuel,          | 151.25      |             |
| Supplies,      | 301.82      |             |
| C. S. Tuition, | 96.00       |             |
|                | <hr/>       |             |
|                |             | \$ 4,847.96 |

## REPAIR ACCOUNT

## Income

|               |          |          |
|---------------|----------|----------|
| Appropriated, | \$ 75.00 |          |
| Balance 1941, | 14.94    |          |
|               | <hr/>    |          |
|               |          | \$ 89.94 |

## Expenditures

|                 |    |       |          |
|-----------------|----|-------|----------|
| Geo. Spaulding, | \$ | .91   |          |
| Julian Dyer,    |    | 13.99 |          |
| Donald Ryerson, |    | 1.00  |          |
|                 |    |       |          |
|                 |    |       | \$ 15.90 |
| Unexpended,     |    |       | 74.04    |
|                 |    |       |          |
|                 |    |       | \$ 89.94 |

## SUPERINTENDENT'S ACCOUNT

|               |    |        |
|---------------|----|--------|
| Appropriated, | \$ | 250.00 |
| H. A. Foster, | \$ | 250.00 |

## OFFICE EXPENSE ACCOUNT

|               |    |       |
|---------------|----|-------|
| Appropriated, | \$ | 25.00 |
| H. A. Foster, | \$ | 25.00 |

## ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES

## TEACHING

|                  |    |             |
|------------------|----|-------------|
| Lillian Sproul,  | \$ | 606.00      |
| Esther Merrill,  |    | 606.00      |
| Katherine Adams, |    | 492.00      |
| Susie Harkins,   |    | 510.00      |
| Priscilla Smith, |    | 110.00      |
| Norma Caswell,   |    | 50.00       |
| Marion Woodward, |    | 114.00      |
| State Treas.,    |    | 8.00        |
|                  |    |             |
|                  |    | \$ 2,496.00 |

## CONVEYANCE

|                        |    |             |
|------------------------|----|-------------|
| Horace Crockett,       | \$ | 256.00      |
| Kenneth Cole,          |    | 385.00      |
| August Kilponen,       |    | 352.00      |
| Clarence Ring,         |    | 288.00      |
| Merle Jack,            |    | 64.00       |
| Eunice Andrews,        |    | 320.00      |
| Fogg's Transportation, |    | .45         |
| C. H. Shepherd,        |    | 5.15        |
| State Treas.,          |    | 3.20        |
|                        |    |             |
|                        |    | \$ 1,673.80 |

## JANITOR

|                    |           |
|--------------------|-----------|
| C. H. Shepherd,    | \$ 5.09   |
| Cynthia Bonney,    | 12.00     |
| Katherine Adams,   | 12.00     |
| Leon Conant,       | 11.00     |
| Eugene Farrar,     | 26.50     |
| Kenneth Hazelton,  | 2.50      |
| Mrs. Olpha Varney, | 2.50      |
| Mrs. Arlan Farrar, | 2.50      |
| Lee Farrar,        | 2.00      |
| Helen Bonney,      | 5.00      |
| Alton Hadley,      | 2.00      |
| Ora Ryerson,       | 4.00      |
| Donald Ryerson,    | 1.00      |
| Myrtle Andrews,    | 5.00      |
| James Palmer,      | 10.50     |
| Marie Conant,      | 7.00      |
| Dwight Stevens,    | 10.50     |
| Marion Woodward,   | 4.00      |
| Harley Hicks,      | 4.00      |
|                    | <hr/>     |
|                    | \$ 129.09 |

## TEXTBOOKS AND SUPPLIES

|                         |          |
|-------------------------|----------|
| C. H. Shepherd,         | \$ 10.77 |
| Row Peterson Co.,       | 11.97    |
| Beckley-Cardy Co.,      | 42.40    |
| Geographical Pub. Co.,  | 5.00     |
| World Book Co.,         | 14.22    |
| Silver Burdett Co.,     | 20.46    |
| Milton Bradley Co.,     | 7.71     |
| Lyons Carnahan,         | .87      |
| Ginn & Co.,             | 16.81    |
| E. H. R. Stetson,       | 6.67     |
| Scott Foresman Co.,     | 23.68    |
| Macmillan Co.,          | 13.67    |
| M. F. Bragdon,          | 2.82     |
| Webster Pub. Co.,       | 18.15    |
| D. C. Heath & Co.,      | 7.97     |
| Howard & Brown,         | 6.75     |
| Loring, Short & Harmon, | 12.92    |
| Fellowship Press,       | 4.00     |
| L. W. Singer Co.,       | 39.22    |

|                        |       |           |
|------------------------|-------|-----------|
| J. C. Winston Co.,     | 24.19 |           |
| Gledhill Bros.,        | 4.10  |           |
| C. E. Merrill Co.,     | 5.29  |           |
| Fogg's Transportation, | 2.18  |           |
|                        |       | <hr/>     |
|                        |       | \$ 301.82 |

## FUEL

|                     |       |           |
|---------------------|-------|-----------|
| Albert Hadley,      | 4.50  |           |
| Elden Garey,        | 30.75 |           |
| Adelbert Davenport, | 39.00 |           |
| Willard Hadley,     | 33.00 |           |
| Lee Farrar,         | 9.00  |           |
| Helen Bonney,       | 1.00  |           |
| H. E. Hicks,        | 5.00  |           |
| Stevens Abbott,     | 18.00 |           |
| Sidney Abbott,      | 5.00  |           |
| Dwight Stevens,     | 6.00  |           |
|                     |       | <hr/>     |
|                     |       | \$ 151.25 |

## HIGH SCHOOL TUITION ACCOUNT

## Income

|               |             |             |
|---------------|-------------|-------------|
| Appropriated, | \$ 1,300.00 |             |
| Balance 1941, | 22.33       |             |
|               |             | <hr/>       |
|               | \$ 1,322.33 |             |
| Overdraft,    | 12.00       |             |
|               |             | <hr/>       |
|               |             | \$ 1,334.33 |

## Expenditures

|                    |          |             |
|--------------------|----------|-------------|
| Town of Paris,     | \$459.14 |             |
| Leavitt Institute, | 131.00   |             |
| Town of Buckfield, | 646.18   |             |
| Town of Rumford,   | 37.50    |             |
| Town of Mexico,    | 23.01    |             |
| City of Lewiston,  | 37.50    |             |
|                    |          | <hr/>       |
|                    |          | \$ 1,334.33 |



## VITAL STATISTICS

### MARRIAGES

1941

- Feb. 4, In West Paris, Stanley P. Heath of Sumner, and Dorothy E. Brown of Sumner.
- Mar. 16, In Sumner, Phyllis A. Henderson of Ballardvale, Mass., and George Graichen of Lawrence, Mass.
- Apr. 26, In Auburn, Ceylon W. Allen of Sumner, and Olive E. Cobb of Sumner.
- May 17, In Lewiston, Howard L. Conant of Sumner, and Jennie B. Kearney of Auburn.
- June 10, In Rumford, Roger O. Benjamin of New York City, N. Y., and Mary E. Jones of Sumner.
- Nov. 10, In North Turner, Howard E. Hanson, N. Turner, and Virginia Bangs of Sumner.
- Nov. 19, In Auburn, Vernal Chandler of Sumner, and Ruth Park of Sumner.
- Dec. 5, In Buckfield, Harold W. Briggs. Sumner, and Margaret Tucker of Buckfield.
- Jan. 3, In Buckfield, Thomas C. Bragg, Sumner, and Iva Farris, of Sumner.
- Jan. 10, In South Paris, L. Keith Morse, Buckfield, and Beatrice Morrill of Sumner.

### BIRTHS

1941

- Jan. 1, To Mr. and Mrs. Aiden E. Redding, a daughter, Ruth Louise.
- Feb. 2, To Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ryerson, a son, Herbert Leroy.
- Feb. 16, To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bedard, a daughter, Pauline Jenny.
- Feb. 28, To Mr. and Mrs. Leon E. Conant, a son, Charles Franklin.
- May 25, To Mr. and Mrs. Alton Hadley, a son, Glendon Roger.
- July 31, To Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Webster, a son, Maynard Arnold.
- Aug. 5, To Mr. and Mrs. Stevens M. Abbott, a son, Oliver Wayne.

- Sept. 23, To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Farrar, a son, Cleston Howard.  
 Nov. 30, To Mr. and Mrs. Morris Fred Bean, Jr. a daughter, Patricia Ann Bean.

## DEATHS

1941

- Jan. 22, In Jay, Anna Nuttela Kujala, aged 44 years, 2 months, 27 days.  
 Jan. 26, In Paris, Samuel S. Heald, aged 75 years, 5 months, 14 days.  
 Mar. 5, In Lewiston, William Henry Crockett, aged 77 years, 5 months, 16 days.  
 May 25, In Sumner, Oscar L. Newell, aged 91 years, 3 months, 27 days.  
 Aug. 20, In Sumner, Frances Ellen Poland, aged 83 years, 9 months, 1 day.  
 Sept. 23, In Sumner, Cleston Howard Farrar, aged 1 day.  
 Oct. 22, In Paris, Fred E. Cushman, aged 65 years, 11 months, 15 days.  
 Dec. 24, In Paris, Abel Wright Crockett, aged 80 years, 1 month, 5 days.  
 Dec. 26, In Paris, Ella S. Heald, aged 86 years, 1 month, 5 days.  
 Dec. 28, In Paris, Abel Thomas Hollis, aged 76 years, 1 month, 16 days.

H. L. COBB,  
 Town Clerk of Sumner, Me.

## TOWN WARRANT

To A. F. Davenport, a constable of the Town of Sumner in the  
County of Oxford. Greeting:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Sumner in said county, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet at Pleasant Pond Grange Hall in West Sumner, in said town, on Monday, the second day of March, A. D. 1942 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To see if the town will accept the report of the Municipal Officers for the year ending January 25, 1942.

Art. 3. To see if the town will vote to call for bids for the collection of taxes.

Art. 4. To see if the town will vote to elect one or more road commissioners for the ensuing year.

Art. 5. To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year.

Art. 6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for snow removal.

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the purchase of snow fence and snow equipment.

Art. 8. To see if the town will grant and raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the support of schools, support of the poor, repairs of school houses, purchase of school books and tuition of high school pupils for the ensuing year.

Art. 9. To see if the town will authorize the school committee to continue the schools where an average of eight scholars has not been maintained for the past year.

Art. 10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the repair of roads and bridges for the ensuing year.

Art. 11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to defray town charges for the ensuing year.

Art. 12. To see what sum of money the town will appropriate for State Aid road construction (in addition to the amount regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Section 19, Chapter 28, Revised Statutes of 1930, or under the provisions of Section 3, Chapter 229, Public Laws of 1937.

Art. 13. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$494.00 for the maintenance of Third Class roads, being the minimum the town is allowed to raise under Section 43 to 47 inclusive, Chapter 28, Revised Statutes of 1930, or to be used in conjunction with the State apportionment.

Art. 14. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for patrolmen for State Aid roads for the ensuing year.

Art. 15. To see what sum of money the town will raise for cutting bushes beside the State Aid roads.

Art. 16. To see what sum of money the town will raise for cutting bushes on town ways.

Art. 17. To see if the town will raise the sum of \$50.00 for the purpose of White Pine Blister Control to use in conjunction with the State and Federal funds.

Art. 18. To see if the town will authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to hire such sums of money as may be necessary to pay town charges and town debts in anticipation of the collection of taxes, and to issue and negotiate the notes of the town for money so borrowed, to amount not exceeding in the aggregate the total tax levy for the preceding municipal year as temporary loans to be paid during the year 1942 out of money raised during the said year 1942 by taxes.

Art. 19. To see what sum of money the town will raise for Memorial Services.

Art. 20. To see if the town will raise and appropriate \$30.00 for public health work in Sumner, said sum to be expended by the Bureau of Health, State Department of Health and Welfare, in cooperation with local authorities.

Art. 21. To see what sum of money the town will raise to reimburse the treasury.



Art. 22. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to sell and dispose of all tax titles held by the town on such terms as they deem advisable, and to execute quitclaim deeds for such property.

Art. 23. To see if the town will vote to raise money for the purchase of town officers bonds, town treasurer, tax collector and constable.

Art. 24. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for insurance of school houses.

Art. 25. To see if the town will vote to buy fire fighting equipment for the fire committee on national defense and raise money for same.

Art. 26. To see if the town will vote to pay part of the travelling expenses of the defense committee and raise money for same.

Art. 27. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

The Selectmen hereby give notice that they will be in session at the above named hall and place of meeting on Monday, the day of said meeting, for the purpose of correcting the list of voters, from 9 o'clock in the forenoon, until the polls are closed.

Given under our hands this ninth day of February, A. D. 1942.

D. C. VARNEY,  
A. E. FARRAR,  
P. V. REDDING,  
Selectmen of Sumner.

Pleasant Pond Grange will serve dinner at 30c each.







